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1. The following types of planes are stationed at the various airfields under Soviet control.¹

- a. Kenyeri Airfield. One fighter group consisting of:

18 Mig-15

9 Yak-15

2 PO-2

- b. Pápa Airfield. About 60 Mig-15

" 12 Mig-18

" 35 IL-18

" 10 IL-12

" 4 IL-2

" 6 UT-2

" 6 PO-2

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25 YEAR RE-REVIEW

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c. Szentkirályszabadia Airfield.

About 20 Mig-15

" 9 Yak-9

" 3 UT-2

" 3 PO-2

d. Debrecen Airfield.

About 50 Mig-15

" 8 Yak-9

" 6 PO-2

" 3 LI-2

e. Kiskunlacháza Airfield.

About 10 Mig-15

" 20 PE-2

" 3 PO-2

f. Kunmadaras Airfield.

About 20 Mig-15

" 9 Yak-21

" 12 IL-28

" 6 LI-2

" 6 PO-2

g. Tököl Airfield

About 20 Mig-15

" 10 Mig-17

" 8 LI-2

" 6 PO-2

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h. Veszprém Airfield.

About 20 Yak-15

" 3 LI-2

" 2 PO-2

i. Kecskemét Airfield.

About 12 Mig-15

" 24 IL-18

" 4 IL-12

" 3 PO-2

j. Tapolca Airfield.

About 9 Yak-9

" 4 LI-2

" 2 PO-2

2. There are no JAK-18, JAK-132, and JAK-136 in Hungary, and none of them has been observed at any airfield in Hungary. However, YAK-15 have been seen at the Soviet airfield at Kenyeri. This is a single-jet-engine fighter plane, with the air intake located in the nose of the plane and the gas exhaust located under the fuselage. It is equipped with a "Tshelome" mechanism with an axial compressor exerting a pressure of 1,800 kg. In the forward section of the plane there is a 32 mm. cannon and two 12.7 mm. machine guns. Maximum speed is about 1,000 km; the ceiling is about 13,000 m.; and the range, about 700 km.
3. A few YAK-21-type planes have also been observed at the Kunmadaras airfield. These are single-seater rocket-engine fighter planes, with mid-fuselage wings and a horizontal stabilizer. The plane is armed with a 32 mm cannon and two 12.7 mm. machine guns.

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1. Comment: As of early December 1953, no other Hungarian airfields were under Soviet control. It is known, however, that during the summer and fall maneuvers several Hungarian Air Force controlled fields, including Taszár and Székesfehérvár, were temporarily given up for exclusive Soviet use.

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